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1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM DUBCHAK TO KIRKLAND,
WHICH PROVIDES SCHEDULE FOR SUBJECT US DELEGATION,
REQUESTED ASAP IN REFTEL. INFORMAL EMBASSY TRANSLATION
FOLLOWS PARA 2 BELOW. ORIGINAL POUCHED TO SHOSTAL,
REGISTRY NO. 3584677.

2. DEAR MR. KIRKLAND:

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT YOUR WISH CONCERNING THE ARRIVAL OF
THE AMERICAN DELEGATION IN THE USSR ON MAY 22, 1978,
I SHOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING ITINERARY:

MAY 22 - ARRIVAL OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION IN MOSCOW.
HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS.
MAY 23 - MOSCOW STATE UNIVERSITY, REPORT ON THE TRAINING
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PROGRAM OR THE FUNDAMENTALS OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.
VISIT TO THE OCEANOLOGY DEPARTMENT. INFORMATION
ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT STUDIES OF THE WORLD
OCEAN. VISIT THE "GIPROVODKHOZ" INSTITUTE. REPORT ON WORK
OF THE INSTITUTE ON PROTECTION AND RATIONAL USE OF WATER
RESOURCES.
MAY 24 - FLY FROM MOSCOW TO KIEV, HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS.

MEETING WITH CHIEF OF THE MAIN ADMINISTRATION OF THE RIVER FLEET.

MAY 25 - MEETING AT THE MAIN ADMINISTRATION OF RIVER FLEET. REPORTS ON THE FOLLOWING:

- ON-SHIP BIOCHEMICAL INSTALLATIONS OF THE "FOBOS" TYPE;
- STATIONS FOR BIOCHEMICAL TREATMENT OF OIL-CONTAINING WATER;
- MEANS AND POSSIBILITIES OF ELIMINATION OF THE AFTER-EFFECTS OF BIOLOGICALLY POLLUTED WATER,
- INTERACTION BETWEEN AN OIL FILM AND RUFFLED SEA SURFACE.

MAY 26 - VISIT A STATION OF BLUE-GREEN ALGAE AND A STATION FOR BIOCHEMICAL TREATMENT OF OIL-CONTAINING WATER.

MAY 27 - FREE DAY.

MAY 28 - FLY FROM KIEV TO RIGA, HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS.

MAY 29 - MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF VRPO "ZAPRYBA". REPORTS ON:

- FUEL BUNKERING IN THE SEA WITHOUT SPILLING;
- DEVELOPMENT OF DISPERSION AGENTS ON THE BASIS OF BIODECOMPOSABLE SURFACE-ACTIVE SUBSTANCES.
- INFLUENCE OF THE DISPERSION AGENT "KORREKSIT 9527" ON MARINE LIVING RESOURCES. VISIT WATER TREATMENT INSTALLATIONS AT THE RIGA OCEAN FISHING PORT AND VISIT THE TRANSPORT REFRIGERATION BASE "OSTROV BERINGA".

MAY 30 - REPORTS

- THE RESCUE VESSEL "SVETLOMOR", USED FOR COLLECTING OIL
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IN THE HIGH SEAS;

- STAND TESTS OF FLOTATION TYPE SEPARATION INSTALLATIONS;
- METHODS OF COLLECTING AND REMOVING SOLID OIL REMAINS FROM OIL TANKERS.

MAY 31 - FLY FROM RIGA TO MOSCOW. HOTEL ACCOMMODATION. MEETING AT THE USSR MINISTRY OF THE MERCHANT MARINE. REPORT INSTRUCTION ON PREVENTION OF SEA POLLUTION, SECOND GENERATION HIGH SEAS OIL REFUSE SKIMMER.

JUNE 1 - THE MINISTRY OF THE MERCHANT MARINE. DISCUSSION OF THE PROTOCOL.

JUNE 2 - THE MINISTRY OF THE MERCHANT MARINE. DISCUSSION AND SIGNING OF THE PROTOCOL.

JUNE 3 - FREE DAY.

JUNE 4 - DEPARTURE OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION FROM "SHERMET'YEVO" AIRPORT.

MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION SHOULD HAVE OPEN-DATE AIRTICKETS EN ROUTE MOSCOW-KIEV-RIGA-MOSCOW TO FLY BY AEROFLOT PLANES.

IN CONCLUSION I SHOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE FROM YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE NAMES AND POSITIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN

DELEGATION.

SINCERELY, V. DUBCHAK. TOON

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